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THE Pennſylvania GAZETTE.

Containing the freſheſt Advices Foreign and Domeſtick.

From December 11. to December 18. 1735.

Verona, Sept. 10.

THE Generals of the Allied Powers having judged, that the Conqueſts of the Three Powers in Lombardy might be troubled by the Return of the Imperialiſts into Italy, have reſolved to occupy all the different Paſſages through which the Imperial Troops could attempt to re-enter Italy, and accordingly the French, Spaniſh and Piedmonteze Troops to the Number of 54000 Men, left, on the 5th and 6th Inſt. the Mantuan and the Cremoneze, marching in twelve Columns, and enter'd the 7th the Territories of the Republick of Venice; the French advancing between the Adige and the Lake de Garda, the Spaniſh into the Vicentine, and the Piedmonteze into the Breſſan, near the Lakes of Iſea and Idra, to render the Return of the Imperialiſts through any of theſe Parts into Italy impracticable.

Franckfort, Sept. 18. Prince Eugene is preparing for his Return to Vienna, the Prince of Anhalt-Deſſau being to command the Imperial Army in Chief, during his Highneſs's Abſence: That Army is ſtill in the ſame Poſition, having not made any Motion for ſome Days. That of France, which encamped ſome time in different Places below Worms, is marched ſeveral Leagues above that City, and the Marſhal de Coigny has eſtabliſhed his General Quarters at Heppenheim, near the Rivulet of Worms. Part of that Army went Yeſterday Morning to form a Camp along the Rhine, from Franckendahl, as far as under the Cannon of the Fort of Manheim, on this Side the River. The Contingent of the Troops of the Elector of Bavaria, will not join the Imperial Army till the next Year.

From the Camp of Hippenheim, Sept. 20. We may reckon now the great Work of the Campaign to be over; and tho' we have not been quarrelſome, yet it is a way of making War, that will tire both the Subjects and the Soldiers, becauſe of the Expences; beſides, the firſt having nothing for their Money, and the latter nothing for their Labour, they think themſelves hardly dealt with. It is thought the Army will ſeparate the 25th of the next Month; but we ſhall firſt go and take up the Camp of Durkeim, and afterwards the Lines of Spirebach. We are informed that the 30,000 Imperialiſts that encamped under Mayence, have repaſſed the Rhine, having no Opportunity to purſue their Deſign on the Moſelle.

From the Upper Rhine, Sept. 24. The Emperor has advanced the Count de Seckendorf to the Poſt of Field-Marſhal General of his Armies, and has declared the Beron de Schmettau, to be General of the Ordnance of the Empire. The latter is to command the Body which is encamped near Bruſchal, in the Room of the Duke d'Aremberg, who is now with Prince Eugene at Heidleburg. The Generals de Stirum and Thaun ſet out on the 22d, to haſten the March of their Regiments that were garriſoned in Luxemburg, to the Moſelle, in order to diſlodge the French from thoſe Parts, in Conjunction with ſome other Troops.

Dantzick, Sept. 14. The Nuncios elected at the Dietines of Poliſh Pruſſia to aſſiſt at the General Dyet of Pacification at Warſaw, are actually on the Road thither; their Inſtructions are in Subſtance.

I. To provide effectually for the Security of his Majeſty's Perſon, and the Support of Publick Liberty.

II. To inſiſt immediately after the Election of the Marſhal of the Diet, upon the Going out of the Foreign Troops, both Ruſſians and Saxons, and not to enter upon Debate till they are ſatisfied as to that Particular.

III. To enquire whether the Grievances of the Palatinates and other Diſtricts with reſpect to the furniſhing the Foreign Troops with Forage and Proviſions, have been redreſſed.

IV. Not to confer with Foreign Miniſters, except it be for the Evacuation of the ſaid Troops.

V.

V. To reſtore and firmly maintain the Rights of the Kingdom, and particularly thoſe which relate to the Freedom of Elections.

VI. To intercede for the City of Dantzick, that ſhe may be diſcharged from what remains unpaid of the Sum which was owing to the Empreſs of Ruſſia.

VII. To propoſe an Augmentation of the Army, upon Condition, that the ſupernumerary Officers ſhall be broke, and the Poſts of the Army ſhall be conferr'd on Gentlemen who are Natives of the Kingdom.

VIII. To demand the Enlargement of M. Raſweski, Vice Chamberlain of Poſnania; and finally, to inſiſt that the gentleſt Methods may be uſed to engage thoſe who are abſent to come and incorporate themſelves with the other Members of the Republick, in order that the Union may be rendred the more perfect.

IX. To recommend to the King's Choice the two Princes Weiſnowieski, the Caſtellan and Palatinate of Cracow, the Palatines of Sendomir, Kiovia, Culm, and Marienburg, and the Enſign of the Crown, for the Place of Grand General, and M. Debowski and Malachowski, for the Poſt of Grand Chancellor.

X. To implore the King's Clemency and Liberality in favour of the Villages and Lands belonging to the Territory of Dantzick, which have been ruined during the Siege.

XI. To ſolicit his Majeſty for Leave that the General Dyet of Poliſh Pruſſia ſhall be held by Turns at Meva, Granente, and Marienburg.

Briſtol, Sept. 13. Laſt Wedneſday Morning came on before Michael Foſter, Eſq; the Worſhipful Recorder of this City and County, the Trial of Capt. James Newth, for the inhuman Murder of his Wife. Among the many Depoſitions for and againſt the Priſoner, the moſt particular in his diſfavour was that of a Man going into the Priſoner's Houſe to drink a Mug of Ale, who depos'd, that there being a Man and a Woman then quarrelling, the Deceaſed cry'd out to Capt. Newth, *You Dog, what will you ſee Murder committed in your own Houſe?* With that Newth took up a Cribbage-Board, and with it ſtruck her over the Head, following it with a Blow on the Breaſt, with which the Deceaſed fell to the Ground, when he withdrew himſelf from her; and as he was withdrawing, the Deceas'd cry'd out, *Murder, Murder*: Upon which he return'd and ſaid, *If you want Murder, I will give you Murder*; ſo ſtamp'd upon her two or three times, and ſhe never ſpoke afterwards. The Surgeon depos'd he took out of the Belly of the Deceaſed five Pints of congeal'd Blood. The Priſoner in his Defence endeavoured to prove the Deceaſed fell down Stairs with a Pail of Water, and ſo hurted herſelf, that ſhe ſpit Blood for ſeveral Days after, which Hurt was the Occaſion of the Blood in her Belly, and of her Death. Another Particular he alledg'd, that during the Quarrel, the Deceaſed ſtumbled over his Feet, being puſh'd by the Evidence, and fell againſt the Corner of a Table, and received ſuch Hurt, that in all Probability it might haſten her Death, *&c.* And after a Trial of 4 Hours and a Quarter, and the Jury out one Hour and forty Minutes, he was found Guilty of *Wilful Murder*.

Briſtol, Sept. 17. On Friday the 12th of September, Capt. James Newth and Jane Skammell received Sentence of Death, the firſt for the Murder of his Wife, and the latter (who is repriev'd) for robbing her Miſtreſs. The ſame Night Capt. Newth took a large Quantity of White Arſenick, which threw him into ſuch convulſive Agonies and racking Pain, that all the Efforts made uſe of to ſave him prov'd of no Effect, ſo that he died about Nine o'Clock, in the moſt languiſhing Condition. He would not confeſs he had taken any Thing, but thoſe that were about him looking round the Room, found in his Stocking as much Arſenick as would deſtroy fifty Men. The next Day a Surgeon open'd his Body, and in his Stomach was found a ſurprizing Quantity of the Poiſon in Lumps; his inward Parts were ulcerated. About the Time judg'd he had taken the Poiſon, he call'd for a Penny-worth of Cider, and half a Noggin of Rum, made hot, and ſeemed very hearty and bold. When he had received his Sentence, he ſaid, He did not ſcruple a Reprieve, and declared he would not die at the Gallows. He was buried near the Gallows, with a Stake through his Body. He was Forty Years old the 9th of March laſt. It is very remarkable, that as the Perſon was untying him the Day he was Caſt, and bewailing his unhappy Fate, he ſaid, It did not ſignify, it was but dying a Year the ſooner.

To the Right Worſhipful John Rich, Eſq; Mayor, the Right Honourable Michael Foſter, Eſq; Recorder, and the reſt of his Majeſty's Juſtices of Oyer and Terminer, and General Goal Delivery, now holden for the City and County of Briſtol.

The Humble Petition of James Newth, *Priſoner in Newgate*, &c. *Sheweth*,

THAT your Worſhips Petitioner was tried yeſterday at the Guildhall, for the Murder of his Wife, and found guilty; but on his Knees moſt humbly begs your Worſhips to conſider his unhappy Caſe, the Accident proceeding thro' meer height of Paſſion, and not any premeditated Malice; and he hath four young Children, who have no one to give them a Morſel of Bread but himſelf, humbly begs for Chriſt's Sake, and for the Sake of his poor Children (who of Courſe muſt come to perpetual Ruin and Miſery if he loſes his Life) to inflict any Puniſhment, ſuch as Impriſonment for Life, Tranſportation for the ſame, or any thing elſe your Worſhips ſhall think requiſite;

requiſite; and your diſtreſſed Petitioner ſhall (as in Duty bound) ever pray, &c.

James Newth.

A Copy of a Paper which Capt. Newth, *wrote with his own Hand with a Black-Lead Pencil, juſt before he took the Poiſon. The Words are Verbatim.*

I Am condemn'd to die for what was never intended. The World muſt believe by my Conduct and Behaviour, both at home and abroad, what Proviſion I have made for my Family, and what I was going to provide for them; no Man can ſtain my Character on any Account, neither for keeping bad Company, nor Drunkenneſs, nor Stealing, nor Defrauding any one; but all the Service a Man could do to any Neighbour, let it be by Night or Day, I was willing: So I am not the firſt that died for a bad Wife: Tho' the laſt Word I have to ſay, ſhe was the Perſon that gave me the firſt Provocation. I don't care, on my Children's Account, to blacken my Wife's Character---- but C. F. the Man that was the Occaſion of my Wife's and my falling out----I am ſure nothing of this was my Fault, on any Account whatſoever.

Upon a ſingle Scrap of Paper were theſe Lines wrote with his own Hand.

JAMES NEWTH, *his Book,*
God knows that he an honeſt Labour took
For to maintain his Wife and four Children dear;
He got not leſs one time with the other
Than One Hundred Pounds a Year;
But when ſhe took to love a Maſon,
She thought I was the worſt of all Men.

Another Scrap of Paper was found about him with theſe Words.

It is very hard that in my old Years I ſhould be thus ſerved for a Thing that I was innocent of.

Yet notwithſtanding the Honeſty he pretends in theſe Papers, 'tis ſaid, he was tried about ſeven Years ago at St. Kitts for Piracy, and got off by the Intereſt of ſome Merchants there: That upon a Voyage from Guinea to Carolina he happened to quarrel with two of his Men, but not having an Opportunity to revenge himſelf then, he waited for a more favourable Opportunity, which he got ſoon after; for his Veſſel happening to ſpring a Leak, thoſe two Men were ordered out to look after it, when he pretended to quarrel with them again, and thereupon, with a Hatchet, cut the Painter, turned his Veſſel to Weather, and left the two poor Men to periſh in the Sea, who were never after heard of: That upon another Voyage, having ſome Words with one of his Men, he attacked the poor Fellow with a drawn Sword, and after ſtabbing him ſeveral Times, turn'd him over Board: And ſome Time after that, he murdered his Cabbin Boy for which he was tried in 1729.

The People about Briſtol were ſo convinced and ſo incenſed at his hardened Wickedneſs; that they dug up his Body, after it had been buried in a croſs Road near that City, dragged his Guts about the Highway, picked his Eyes out, and broke almoſt all his Bones, after which it was taken and buried in a very deep Grave near the Gallows.

Briſtol, Sept. 20. *Laſt Monday, Lionel Lyde, Eſq; was elected Mayor of this City and County for the Year enſuing; and Tho. Clements, and Jacob Peloquin, Eſqrs. Sheriffs.*

London, Sept. 20. *They write from Worceſter, that laſt Sunday ſe'night there was a tempeſtuous Wind attended with ſo very fierce Rains as if the Clouds had burſted, whereby the next Day the Water ran like Rivers thro' the Streets of ſeveral neighbouring Towns, particularly Droitwich, where the Inhabitants were forced to make up into their Chambers, and where ſome Hundreds of Pounds Damage was done to their Salt and other Goods. A Man on Horſeback coming from Bromeſgrove to the ſaid Town, was borne down by the Torrent, and ſaved his Life by catching hold of a Twig; but his Horſe was drowned. All or moſt of the Gates about Ombersley were likewiſe borne down by the force of the Torrent. And at Stratford upon Avon, a Man and Horſe were both drowned; and a Waggon Load of Flax, which ſtood in an adjacent Meadow without any Horſes, was borne away by the great Force of the Water. The Town of Alaſter ſuffered much. At Parſhore, the Wooden Bridges were carried away, and conſiderable other Damage happened there-about.*

His Majeſty's Sloop the Hawk is ſtationed at Georgia for three Years, and Capt. Gaſcoigne Brother to Capt Gaſcoigne of the Aldborough, is appointed Commander.

Cuſtom-Houſe, New-York, *Dec.* 15. *Entred in.*
Hunt from Coracoa. *Entred Out.* Mansfield to Jamaica, Skinner and Phenix for Gibraltar, Pleder for St. Thomas, Cox for Coracoa, Painter for Madeira, Barnes for S. Carolina.
Cleared. Bryant to London, Burrows to Coracoa, Leacraft to Jamaica, Griffith to St. Chriſtophers, Tough to Philadelphia, Jeffry to Ireland.

PHILADELPHIA, December. 18.
We hear from *Cheſter*, that on Saturday laſt a Man was hanged there for the Murder of his Maſter.
The ſame Night a Man belonging to a Pilot-Boat, lying with a Veſſel off *Cheſter*, having drank largely, went to ſleep in the Boat, and dy'd before he awak'd.
'Tis ſaid that a Hog was lately killed near *Burlington*, that weighed 518 *lb.*

Cuſtom-Houſe, Philadelphia, *Entred in.*
Snow Hope, William Hill, from Jamaica.
Entred out.
Scooner Catherine, Richard Painter, for Weſt-Indies.
Cleared.
Sloop St. Andrew, Cornelius Corneck, to St. Chriſtophers.
Ship Prince Eugene, Edward Wright, to Cadiz.
Scooner Chance, John Lovett, to N. Carolina.
Snow Rebecca, Henry Violet, to Dublin.
Brigt. Supply, Richard Berwick, to Barbadoes.
Ship Eliz. & Dorothy, George Steward, to Antigua.
Snow Endeavour, Lawrence Dent, to Cadiz.
Brigt. Lancaſhire-Witch, Jonathan Burchal, to Antigua.
Ship Diamond, William Clay, to Madeira.
Sloop Dolphin, Nathaniel Welch, to Boſton.
Snow Martha, Cornelius Kollock, to South-Carolina.

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Advertiſements.

RUN away on the 12th Inſt. from *James Mackey*, an *Iriſh* Servant Man named *William Crosbery*, alias *M'clauskey*, about 22 Years of Age, well ſet, and wears a piſsburnt Wig, by Trade a *Taylor*: Had on a Coat, Jacket and Breeches of very ordinary coarſe Kerſey, and good Shoes and Stockings; took with him an ozenbrigs Frock. Whoever ſecures the ſaid Servant ſo that he may be had again, ſhall have *Twenty Shillings* Reward and reaſonable Charges paid by *James Mackey.*

THERE has been a ſtray'd Horſe running about the weſt Side of the River *Skuylkil*, for ſome time paſt: He is a ſmall ſized dark bay Horſe, ſuppoſed to be 7 or 8 Years old, branded T S on the near Shoulder, a ſmall Star in his Forehead and ſmall Sniſ on the Noſe the right Owner is deſired to repair to *Joſeph Grey* at the Middle Ferry on *Skuylkil*, where he may be further informed.

STRAY'D or Stolen away from *Schuylkill-Mill*, the 13th of *November*, 1735, a dark grey Horſe about 14 hands high, with a trimm'd Mane, a ſwitch Tail, a Star in the Forehead, a white Spot on the near Thigh, ſhod before. Whoever brings the ſaid Horſe to *William Palmer* living near the Falls of *Schuylkill*, or to *Stephen Beaſley* Block-maker in *Philadelphia*, ſhall have *Ten Shillings* Reward, and reaſonable Charges paid, by *William Palmer.*

NOTICE is hereby given, That the Tickets for the Lottery, for the Sale of One hundred Thouſand Acres of Land, are now preparing for the Wheels, in order to the Drawing thereof: And that the Draught of the Lands located and divided into Lots (purſuant to the printed Scheme) may be ſeen at the Surveyor-General's Office, and at the Houſe of the Subſcriber hereof, one of the Managers of the ſaid Lottery.

Patrick Baird.

Pennſylvania, ſſ. NOTICE is hereby given to all Perſons that are inclinable to become Adventurers in the Lottery for the Sale of One hundred Thouſand Acres of Land in this Province; that the Tickets are ready to be delivered at the Secretary's Office, where Attendance is given every Day (Sundays excepted) from 8 in the Morning till 12 at Noon, and from 3 to 6 in the Afternoon. And if any Perſons require more particular Information relating thereto, than is contained in the printed Propoſals, they may apply to any of the Managers and receive further Satisfaction therein.

JOHN GEORGES, *Secr.*

Pennſylvania, ſſ. WHEREAS it is mentioned in the 2d Article of the Scheme for the Sale of 100,000 Acres of Land, by Way of Lottery, that a Reſervation of three fifth Parts of all Royal Mines, and one fifth Part of all other Mines ſhall be made, free of all Charges for digging and refining the ſame; It is hereby declared that no more than one fifth Part of the Ore of all Mines delivered at the Pit's Mouth (Mines Royal excepted) ſhall be reſerved in all Patents that may hereafter iſſue for the Confirmation of any Lands within this Province.

By Order of the Proprietaries,

Philad. Aug. 14. 1735. JOHN GEORGES, *Secr.*

RUN away laſt Sunday Night from *George Houſe*, an Iriſh Servant Man named *John Hendry*, aged about 22 Years, of Middle ſtature, no Hair but wears a Wig or a Cap; by Trade a Shoemaker. Had on a brown Drugget Coat with cloſe or ſlaſh Sleeves, ſtriped linnen Jacket, and Leather Breeches, a narrow brimm'd Hat, good Shoes and Stockings; and has taken ſome Tools belonging to his Trade. Whoever ſecures the ſaid Servant ſo that he may be had again, ſhall have *Five Pounds* Reward and reaſonable Charges paid by *George Houſe.*

Philad. Nov. 20.

VEry good LAMPBLACK made and ſold by the Printer hereof.

THERE has been ever ſince *March* laſt, about the Plantation of *Henry Pawlin*, junior, in *Perkiomun*, a flea-bitten Mare branded S T upon the near Shoulder, with a reddiſh Spot upon her Flank, and a Bell about her Neck; ſhe is about 13 Hands high, and has now a young Colt with her. Whoever owns her, is deſired to come and fetch her, and pay the Charges.

Henry Pawlin, jun.

ON *Wedneſday* Night the 19th of *Nov.* Thieves broke into a Houſe in this City, and ſtole ſome Paper Money, with a parcel of double worſted-flower'd Caps: Several Drops of Blood were found about the Drawer from whence the Money was taken, whence 'tis probable that the Money alſo may be bloodied. If ſuch Money is offered to be paſſed, or ſuch Caps to be ſold, by any ſuch ſuſpicious Perſon, 'tis deſired that Information may given to the Printer hereof.

Juſt publiſhed,

JOhn Jerman's *and* Poor Richard's ALMANACKS, for the Year 1736.

Jacob Taylor's, *is now in the Preſs, and will be publiſhed next Week, and ſold by the Printer hereof.*

RUN away the 9th Inſt. from *James Norrel* of *Oley* in this County, an hired Servant Man named *John Blowden*, well ſet, of ſhort Stature, black Hair, fair Complexion, and has a ſmooth Tongue. He has taken with him belonging to his Maſter, a black Horſe branded with I°N on the near Shoulder, a ſmall Star like a Clover Leaf, and not dock'd, about 9 Years old: Likewiſe belonging to his Maſter, a homeſpun Kearſey great Coat cloth-colour'd with large Braſs Buttons on it, a new pair of brown Yarn Stockings, two new pair of Shoes, one of Mens, and the other Womens, a pewter Pocket Bottle that will hold a Pint, a pair of Silver Buttons, and ſome Money. He had alſo a homeſpun Camlet inſide Coat of Cinnamon-colour patch'd, and a black Caliminco Jacket and Breeches, a Pair of ſtriped linnen Trowſers, and a Pair of old Shoes picked-toed, white Linnen Stockings, white Linnen Cap, a Caroline Hat. He was formerly Servant to *Arthur Wells*, and afterwards to *William Smith* both of this City, and often ran away from them both. He pretends to be a Doctor, ſometimes a Gentleman or a Merchant, and endeavours to cheat all he comes acquainted with. Whoever ſecures him in any Goal, ſo that his Maſter may have Juſtice from him, and ſecures the Horſe ſo that he may be had again, ſhall have *Three Pounds* Reward and reaſonable Charges paid by

Philad. Nov. 20. *James Norrel.*

Juſt Publiſh'd.

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RUN away from *William Perkins*, a Servant Man, named *William Ainſworth*, about 29 Years of Age, black Complexion, black lank Hair and black Eyes, middle ſiz'd and well ſet: Had on a dark brown Coat, full trimm'd, red ſtriped woollen Jacket, and Leather Breeches, lead-coloured woollen Stockings and good ſtrong Shoes. Whoever ſecures the ſaid Servant ſo that he may be had again, ſhall have *Four Pounds* Reward and reaſonable Charges paid by *William Perkins.*

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